

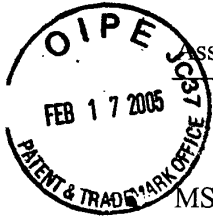
**S/N 09/960,291**

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title:	DEVICE AND METHOD FOR ASSEMBLING CARD EDGE SLOTS INTO A SUBSTRATE	
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

MS Amendment  
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This responds to the Office Action mailed on October 13, 2004. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a One-month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from January 13, 2005 to February 13, 2005 (Sunday).